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In re Application of	:	
Stephane CLAUSS et al.	:	DECISION ON PETITION
Application No. 10/540,241	:	UNDER 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3)
Filed: June 22, 2005	:	
Attorney Docket No. 2002P01382WOUS	:	

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3), filed April 28, 2006, to accept an unintentionally delayed claim under 35 U.S.C. § 120 and 365(c) for the benefit of priority to prior-filed PCT Application No. PCT/EP2004/000171, filed January 13, 2004, set forth in the accompanying Application Data Sheet.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.78(a)(3) is **DISMISSED** as moot in view of the request filed July 31, 2006, withdrawing the petition to accept an unintentionally delayed claim under 35 U.S.C. § 120 and 365(c) for the benefit of priority to the prior-filed PCT Application. The petition fee has previously been credited to petitioner's deposit account.

Any inquiries concerning this decision may be directed to David Bucci at (571) 272-7099. All other inquiries concerning either the examination procedures or status of the application should be directed to Technology Center 3749.


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